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10 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
11 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA  
12 SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION  
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14 SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE  
15 COMMISSION,

16 Plaintiff,

17 v.

18 PAYWARD, INC. and PAYWARD  
19 VENTURES, INC.,

20 Defendants.  
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Case No. 3:23-cv-06003-WHO

**[PROPOSED] ORDER GRANTING  
PARADIGM OPERATIONS LP'S  
MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE *AMICUS  
CURIAE* BRIEF**

Judge: Hon. William H. Orrick

**[PROPOSED] ORDER**

This matter comes before the Court on Paradigm Operations LP's Administrative Motion for Leave to File Brief of *Amicus Curiae* (the "Motion"). Having considered the Motion, and all papers filed in support of and in opposition (if any), the Court hereby GRANTS the Motion. Paradigm Operations LP may thus file an *amicus curiae* brief (the "Brief") in support of Defendants' Motion to Dismiss. The Brief attached to the Motion is thus deemed filed. Paradigm Operations LP may also refile the brief separately on the docket.

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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HON. WILLIAM H. ORRICK III  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE